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TITLE OF INVENTION Method for Determining a Steering Torque That is Active During the Actuation of a Steering Wheel in Motor Vehicles		
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